

25X1A

~~U.S. OFFICIALS ONLY~~  
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~  
~~SECURITY INFORMATION~~

25X1A2g

COUNTRY Saudi Arabia/Lebanon

SUBJECT Expansion of Airports at Dhahran and Beirut

DATE 2 June 53PLACE ACQUIRED  
(BY SOURCE)

25X1A6a

Supplement to:

DATE ACQUIRED  
(BY SOURCE)

Responsive to:

DATE (OF INFO)

This document contains information affecting the national defense of the United States, within the meaning of Title 18, Sections 793 and 794, of the U.S. Code, as amended. Its transmission or revelation of its contents to or receipt by an unauthorized person is prohibited by law. The reproduction of this report is prohibited.

25X1X6

1. Large scale construction of runways and buildings was in progress at Dhahran Airport in January 1953. The runways, built of concrete, were being made wider and longer. An additional runway was being built. [REDACTED] An electric power plant and an air conditioning plant at the airport were also under construction. The airport is a civilian one but [REDACTED] the USAF will also be utilizing it. 25X1X6
2. The airport at Beirut has a concrete runway [REDACTED]. It is being lengthened. The airport is a civilian one, but [REDACTED] perhaps the military also use it. Large scale construction was also going on there on 4 Jan 53. The airport was to be enlarged, including both buildings and runways. 25X1X6

- end -

This report is for the use within the USA of CIA and the Intelligence components of State, Army, Navy, Air and FBI. It is not to be transmitted overseas without the concurrence of the originating office through the Assistant Director of the Office of Collection and Dissemination, CIA.

25X1A2g

~~U.S. OFFICIALS ONLY~~  
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~  
~~SECURITY INFORMATION~~

This report is for the use within the USA of CIA and the Intelligence components of State, Army, Navy, Air and FBI. It is not to be transmitted overseas without the concurrence of the originating office through the Assistant Director of the Office of Collection and Dissemination, CIA.

RETURN TO CIA  
 LIBRARY